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On 10 December 1952, the Hans Treu firm at 40 Bellerive Strasse, Zurich 8, sold a vacuum melting and casting plant to the chemical equipment section of the Deutscher Innen- und Aussenhandel (DIA). Arbuckle, Smith and Co Ltd, Minorities, The House, London-EC 3, was to act as forwarding office and to handle delivery to Rostock. [REDACTED] A generator, needed for the operation of the vacuum melting and casting plant, will be purchased from Schulze and Co, a firm in Hirschdorf on the Neckar River, and would be delivered directly to East Germany.

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